

WESTERLY FAMILY IN GERMANY

and Mrs. S. J. Reuter and Daughter are With Relatives at Mainz—Dr. Percy A. Senior Acquitted—I. O. O. F. Demonstration—Stonington School Superintendent Leaves for Leominster, Mass.—Death of Mrs. William Culley.

Mrs. Charles Perry, of Westerly, preside at the evening session of the sixth annual meeting of the Rhode and State Conference of Charities and Corrections which will be held in Memorial and Library buildings, Westerly, October 23. At the evening session Professor Lichtenberger, professor of sociology at the University of Pennsylvania will give an address on "Immigration, Its Effects on Social and Industrial Conditions," and Colonel Harry Butler, of Providence, will speak upon the "Naturalized Citizen of the European War."

At the morning session, which will be in charge of Miss Harriet E. Thomas, of Newport, from 10:30 to 11:30 a. m. will be a paper by John Ritchie, president of the Boston Scientific Society, on the subject, "How Half a dozen Massachusetts Towns Have Unhinged to Help Administration." From 11:30 to 12:30 there will be a discussion of above subject by Dr. Thomas McLaughlin, health officer of Woonsocket, and Dr. George E. Mansel, of the State Hospital for the Insane, 11:30 to 12:30, paper by Dr. Mansel B. Armstrong, director of the Rhode Island State Board of Health, and Dr. Albert S. Phelps, of Westerly.

James B. Williams, agent of the Rhode Island Society for Organizing Charity, will be in charge of the afternoon session, when these subjects will be discussed: Rural New England of today, by C. C. Carstens, secretary of the Massachusetts department for the reformation of Children; Light and Wrong Forms of Community Organization, by Francis H. McLean, general secretary of the American Association of Societies for Organizing Charities. The discussion will be led by George S. Palmer, of New London, Rowland G. Hazard of New Dale, and Rev. Samuel M. Atherton of Westerly.

The fortieth annual convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Rhode Island, will be held next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, in the Union Congregational church, Providence. Miss Elizabeth P. Nichols, of Westerly, will conduct the raise service on the opening day. Mrs. James O. Babcock, of Westerly, district president, will give an address at Wednesday's session and Mrs. Annie Parker, of Westerly, will read scriptures. Mrs. James O. Babcock is assistant recorder, secretary of the state union, and also president of the 10th district. Dr. Anne L. Waite, of Westerly, is superintendent of the medical temperance and health department and Miss Nichols is superintendent of temperance and evangelistic work.

In connection with the convention will be many addresses, a motion picture demonstration of John Barleycorn, by Jack London, and several business meetings. A literary exhibit of the vestry will be in the charge of Miss E. M. Francis. All meetings will be open to the public.

In connection with class initiation, there will be a big demonstration in Westerly, Saturday evening, of Rhode Island Independent Order of Odd Fel-

lows, Manchester Unity, the final preparation having been completed by Loyal Pride of New England Lodge, through an efficient committee of arrangements composed of Alexander Mitchell, William G. Spargo and Caleb Clark. The demonstration will begin upon the arrival of a special train from Providence with over 300 Odd Fellows from Providence, East Greenwich and other places. The visitors will be met at the railway station by a delegation from the local lodge and escorted to the lodge rooms in Stillman block, where a collation will be served.

At seven o'clock there will be a street parade made up in this order: Harry Sutcliffe, chief marshal; John J. Kennedy and William Craig, aids to marshal; Westerly band; Charles O. Gavitt, leader; George H. Nutall, of Providence, grand master of the grand lodge of the United States, and members of his staff; Rhode Island, Connecticut and Massachusetts districts; grand master of the grand lodge of New England Lodge; John Girver and his aids with "His Honor, the Goat"; Pride of New England Lodge; class of thirty candidates, escorted by four lodge members in regalia; Rhode Island lodges; Stonington band; Norwich B. C. London, Waterbury and Waterbury lodges.

The procession will form on Elm street and proceed down Broad street and be reviewed from the steps of the town hall by the members of the Westerly town council and the selectmen of the town of Stonington. The line will continue to West Broad street, countermarch to Main, down Main to School street, to Elm, to Broad, to High, to Canal, to Railroad avenue, to the hall, where the exercises are to be held. The members will be addressed by William Culley, president of the Westerly town council and by Henry A. Stable, first selectman of the town of Stonington, and by the district officers. Then will follow the ceremony of the initiation of a class of thirty candidates, by the degree team of Bud of Hope Valley Lodge, composed of thirty-five members.

A steam dredger of the T. A. Scott company, New London, is engaged in the Pawcatuck river dredging, at Oscar H. Telford's lower wharf to a depth of ten feet at mean low water. The dredged material is dumped into the river and is towed down the river and out to the specified dumping ground by steamer Westerly. The mud is dumped between Latimer Reef and Watch Hill lights and in a cross range from Stonington Point and the East breakwater, where there is a depth of water of 106 feet.

A no-license campaign, featuring Rev. Sam Small is to be conducted in Rhode Island under the auspices of the Anti-Saloon League, of which the Westerly No-License committee is a part. This campaign will begin Sunday, October 18, in the First Baptist church, Providence, and terminate in Westerly on Monday, November 2, the eve of the state election. Rev. Mr. Small will speak between these dates at Pawcatuck, Pawcatuck, Bristol, Central Falls, Greenville, Auburn, Arctic, Wakefield, East Greenwich, Newport, Portsmouth, Tiverton Centre and East Providence.

Rev. Mr. Small is a noted temperance orator and evangelist, and has been engaged in campaign work in favor of prohibition in all parts of the country, devoting much of his

time to that special line of work and with much success.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon J. Reuter and daughter, Miss Mary M. Reuter, of Westerly, who went to Germany seven months ago, intending to return in November, are still with relatives at Mainz, and have not decided when they will start for home. They are living comfortably and in their letter say that the German troops for the front cheerfully and with high hopes of success, but naturally there is depressed feeling when news comes of the death of near and dear ones in the field of battle. Women congregate in the churches daily and kneel in prayer for the safety of the brave soldiers who risk their lives for count. Both Mrs. Reuter and Miss Reuter have joined the German Red Cross corps. Mrs. Reuter volunteering to remove in Mainz and engage in sewing and making bandages for the wounded, so as to be with her husband, while Miss Reuter has volunteered subject to call for Red Cross work in the battlefields or in the hospitals. Mr. Reuter is in feeble health and the visit to his old home in Germany was in the interest of his health and to see his relatives.

Dr. Percy A. Senior of Westerly was acquitted of the charge of abortion by a jury of the superior court for Washington county at Kingston Wednesday afternoon after a trial lasting three days. When first arrested Dr. Senior was charged with abortion, causing the death of Katie Bombardo. He was adjudged as being probably guilty at the hearing in the Third District Court. When the case was before the grand jury at Kingston the charge of murder was dismissed and he was indicted on the charge of abortion. The case was given a thorough trial, but the evidence was not sufficient to convince the jurors that the doctor was guilty as charged.

This verdict is in keeping with the record of Rhode Island in cases of this nature, as no person has ever been convicted for the commission of such a crime in the state. Dr. Senior returned to Westerly Wednesday afternoon. Since his arrest he has been in jail in default of bail.

The school committee of the town of Stonington has formally accepted the resignation of Dr. William H. Perry, superintendent of schools and he left Stonington night for Leominster, Mass., where he will assume his duties as superintendent of schools. Dr. Perry was a member of the committee, was authorized to prepare resolutions of appreciation of the service rendered by Dr. Perry. Judge Albert R. Stillman of Pawcatuck, a member of the school committee, will act as superintendent of schools until the new committee enters upon its duties Oct. 6.

Local Laocian. Charles Farrell, interne at St. Mary's hospital, Waterbury, is visiting at his home in Westerly. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Farrell. Charles W. Willard of Westerly, president of the Rhode Island fisheries commission, is in Stonington attending the annual convention of the American Fisheries society, of which he is treasurer.

The body of Mrs. Eliza B. Thompson, who died in Wilket, Pa., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frederick Webster, arrived in Westerly on the 9:15 train Wednesday night. Burial will be at River Bend cemetery.

After a long illness, Mrs. Lizette Sampson Culley, 59, wife of William Culley, president of the Westerly town council, died Tuesday afternoon at her home on School street. Her husband, who is survived by three sons and four daughters. Mrs. Culley was a member of Grace Methodist Episcopal church.

For a blazing curtain in the residence of Joseph Marzoli at Granite and John streets a fire alarm was sent in from box 55 at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning. The Cyclone motor-driven chemical hose wagon left the firehouse two minutes later and was back at 7:15. The fire was readily extinguished and a little damage befell the firemen arrived after a remarkably quick run.

MYSTIC

St. Mark's Parish Roll Call—Rebekahs Visit Westerly—Jewish Residents at Yom Kippur Services.

Tuesday evening in St. Mark's church the annual roll call and social was held with a large attendance. When the roll was called 110 answered. L. Pitcher gave a very interesting report of the financial condition of the church and found it to be in a flourishing condition. The pastor, Rev. A. L. Barrington, gave a very interesting report and was much pleased with his first year's work in the parish. During his stay here the old rectory has been fitted up for a parish house with all the modern improvements and much other good work has been done. William W. Kellogg, Fred G. King and others spoke on the good work that is being accomplished in the parish.

Visited Westerly Lodge. About 40 members of Mystic Rebekah Lodge, No. 55, I. O. O. F., went to Westerly Wednesday evening where they were the guests of Hope lodge of that city. The trip was made in Brown's auto truck. The members were given a fine time.

Attended Convention. Welcome Fidler, George Foley and Charles H. Foley in Norwich attending the democratic county convention as delegates from Groton and Stonington.

At Yom Kippur Services. Mr. and Mrs. Simon Curling and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Neimur and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Bendett and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Bendett and family, Max Bendett, Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Feidler and family have returned from New London, where they attended the Jewish holiday services.

Heard and Seen. Rev. and Mrs. George H. Miner and Miss Lillian Miner have returned from a visit in New Hampshire. Clifford Gates has gone to Florida to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hewitt have returned to East Ym. after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. George I. Wilcox. Mrs. George I. Wilcox is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Mullen, in New Britain.

Mrs. Stephen Palmer is the guest of her son, William Palmer, and family in Boston. Miss Catherine Malloy of Narragansett Pier is the guest of Miss Margaret Foley.

J. B. Ayers is moving his family to Albany, N. Y.

Miss Eleanor Lewis has returned from a visit in Rockland, Me.

George R. Chester has left for the dental college of the University of Pennsylvania after spending the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Chapman.

Mrs. C. F. Congdon has returned from a visit in Colchester, Franklin and Norwich.

Charles D. Holmes is in Boston. Miss Edith Kingman of Leominster, Mass., is visiting in town.

Elbert Denison, tax collector of the Mystic fire district, held a session in the B. F. Hoxie engine rooms Wednesday.

Mrs. John Wilde of Boston is in town for a few days.

Mrs. Stanley Adams of Providence is spending a few days in town.

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Boy Scouts to Organize Basketball Team—Jack Gardner's Horses Win Prizes.

This afternoon Mrs. C. I. Libby will entertain the women of the Methodist church and a barrel will be packed for missionary purposes.

Liberty concert was held at an interesting meeting Wednesday evening with a large number present. Frank Park, Amos Chapman and Morgan Hewitt were in Norwich Wednesday.

Mrs. Rachel Wilcox is visiting in Waterford and New London. Harold Peor has been called from Waterford, where he was employed, by the death of his mother.

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Foster have been entertaining friends from Albany and Waterford.

Scouts to Have Team. The Boy Scouts held a meeting Wednesday night. They are to organize a basketball team and plan an entertainment soon.

Marcelles Bailey, who has been ill, is better.

Charles Barber is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. W. M. Hill shows continued improvement.

Charles Perry has returned to his home in New York.

A family from Groton has moved into the Palmer house, near the shipyard.

Mrs. Brumley, Mrs. Rowe and Mr. Oakes have moved from Spring street to New London.

The Silver Link society met Wednesday with Mrs. William Halliday. G. M. McGaw is able to resume his work after several days' illness.

Summer Guests Linger. Few guests have left at River View. This is one of the cottages kept open longest and opened the first of the season. It has been well filled all summer.

Nell Campbell is able to be about after his illness.

Roswell Palmer has purchased the house he has recently occupied on Front street, Pa., at his home here.

Mrs. J. W. Potter and her guest, Mrs. Rowe, went Wednesday in New London after Groton.

J. C. Giddings has returned from Norwich.

Capt. Henry Langworthy of the Tartar, visiting at his home here.

Mrs. Lucy A. Wilcox, who has been ill, is much better.

Jack Gardner has done some good work this week at the Amherst, Mass. races. He is driving a pair of horses and has won several prizes.

STONINGTON

The following seniors of the Stonington High school have been elected to the board of the school paper, the Altier, for the ensuing year: Editor in chief, Mary Robinson; assistant editor in chief, Charles Ryan; business manager, Herbert Zetter; athletics, Dean Fairbrother; alumni, Ann Henry; folly, Frank Muller; exchanges, Edith Girvin.

STAFFORD SPRINGS

Business Men's Association Votes to Disband—Vinton-Webster Marriage.

At a meeting of the Stafford Business Men's association Tuesday evening it was voted to disband. The meetings have been very poorly attended recently and the association has been rather inactive for some time. Many of the members belong to the Stafford club and the latter is expected to assume some of the functions of the defunct organization.

Issues Certificates. A. W. Buchanan, agent of the state board of education, was in town Wednesday issuing employment certificates to children over 14 to go to work.

Mrs. E. A. Burnham has returned to Syracuse, N. Y., after visiting friends in town.

Arthur F. Bemis has been confined to the house by illness for several days.

Vinton-Webster. Miss Rose Webster, daughter of W. H. Webster, and Holmes Vinton of Southbridge were married at the home of the bride Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Levi Reese of the Congregational church performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Vinton will reside in Southbridge.

JEWETT CITY

Bayberry Thieves and Their Driver Fined—Children's Party—New Trolleys Ignore Flag.

The three men who were arrested by Officer Louis Lingras for stealing bayberries on Stone Hill, were tried before Judge H. H. Burnham Wednesday morning. As one of the men was only the driver who carried the others to the lots where the berries grew, he was fined \$5 and costs amounting to \$13.33. The other two were fined \$7 and costs, amounting to \$20.33. Two of the men paid their fines, but the other was committed.

Farewell Party. Master Frank and Miss Edith Williams entertained their neighborhood playmates at a farewell party Tuesday afternoon, from 3 to 6 o'clock. Games, races and story telling were enjoyed until 5 o'clock, when the dining room proved more attractive. Sandwiches, potato chips, assorted cake, wafers, cream, cones and fruit were served. Mrs. E. A. Faust and Mrs. F. E. Robinson assisted Mrs. F. E. Robinson. Those present were Earl Robinson, Ellen Faust, Eugene Carroll, Arthur and Anna Shea.

Notes. Mrs. Arthur M. Brown entertained Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown, of Brunswick, Me., Wednesday.

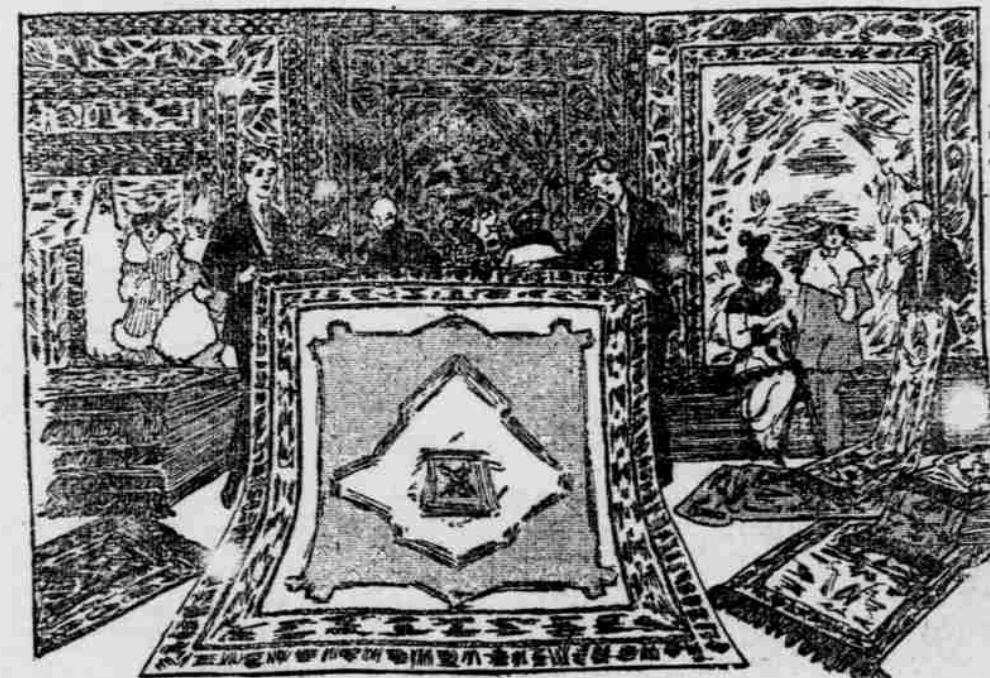
The two new trolleys on the Central Village line do not stop on flag as is the custom of the other trolleys.

Waterbury—The Ministers' Association of Waterbury, at its meeting Tuesday, passed a resolution commending the Rev. Father J. J. Curtin's work on behalf of the enforcement of the exercise laws, and also went on record as being in favor of the strict enforcement of those laws in all parts of the city.

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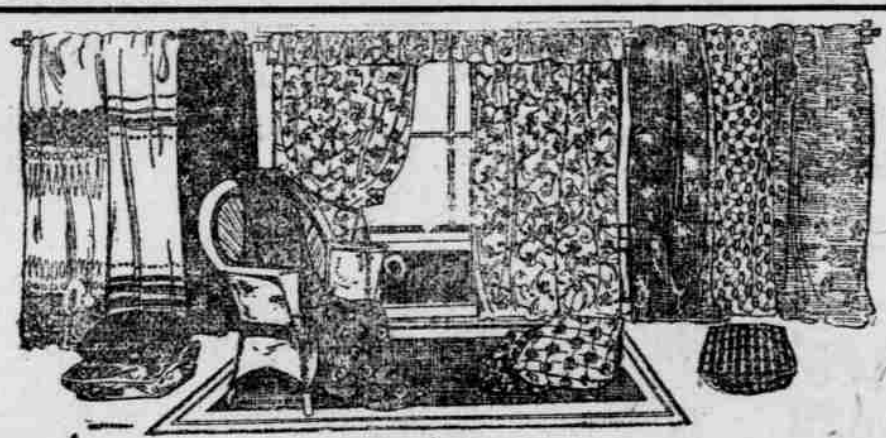
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